EXECUTIVE SESSION

EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

Mr. DEWINE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate immediately proceed to executive session to consider the following nomination reported by the Foreign Relations Committee: Calendar No. 23, Grant Green. I further ask unanimous consent that the nomination be confirmed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action, and the Senate then return to legislative session.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The nomination considered and confirmed is as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Grant S. Green, Jr., of Virginia, to be an Under Secretary of State (Management).

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, the Senate will now return to legislative session.

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 2001

Mr. DEWINE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Sen-

ate completes its business today, it adjourn until the hour of 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, March 29. I further ask consent that on Thursday, immediately following the prayer, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate then resume consideration of the DeWine amendment to S. 27, the campaign finance reform bill.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. DEWINE. Mr. President, for the information of all Senators, the Senate will resume consideration of the DeWine amendment regarding advocacy ads tomorrow morning. There will be up to 15 minutes of debate prior to a vote at 9:45 a.m. Following that vote, there will be up to 2 hours on a Harkin amendment on volunteer spending limits. Therefore, a second vote will occur before 12 noon on Thursday. Further amendments will be offered. Votes will occur throughout the day, and it is the intention of the managers and leaders to conclude this bill by tomorrow night. Therefore, votes could occur late into the evening tomorrow.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL TOMORROW AT 9:30 A.M.

Mr. DEWINE. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 7:57 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, March 29, 2001, at 9:30 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate March 28, 2001:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

JOHN D. GRAHAM, OF MASSACHUSETTS, TO BE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS, OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, VICE JOHN T. SPOTILA, RESIGNED.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

DANIEL J. BRYANT, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE AN ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL, VICE ROBERT RABEN, RESIGNED.

CONFIRMATION

EXECUTIVE NOMINATION CONFIRMED BY THE SENATE MARCH 28, 2001:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

GRANT S. GREEN, JR., OF VIRGINIA, TO BE AN UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE (MANAGEMENT).